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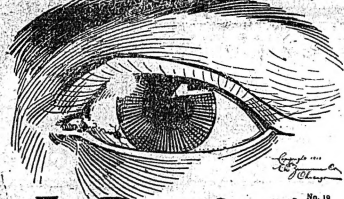
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9-inch "	-	at 25c

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY

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# SCHOOL BOARD

## More Property Purchased for New Schools

The regular meeting of the School Board was held Wednesday evening last, and the session was a busy one.

Chairman P. S. Simpson presided, with all the members of the Board in attendance.

## ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were passed by the finance committee and ordered to be paid:  
Best Bros. \$5.55, McLean Bros. 1.20, J. McVicar 3.50, M. A. Munro, treasurer's Board, 20.00, D. A. McGee, wood, 117.00, Baird & McKenzie 0.00, R. B. Welliver, insurance, 4.25, Day Hardware Co. 9.55, H. Reinhold, coal, 562.05, Geo. M. Handy Co., supplies, 101.24, Gaetz-Cornett Co. 14.00, Dom. Oil Co. 22.50.

## INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

The Inspector's report was read and adopted. He advised the Board to purchase several more school sites while the land was cheap. He recommended the erection of the new school on the school property at the south end of town. All the teachers were giving excellent satisfaction and doing good work.

He advised that the grounds be fitted up, trees planted and fence completed; the basement floor recovered with cement; repointing of outside wall at corners; frosting south windows; fixing closets for books; consideration of the purchase of a vacuum cleaner; advised medical examination of children, and several other items re. equipment.

Principal McKenzie brought in a most satisfactory report, showing the attendance at the schools steadily increasing, the number of children now attending school being 419, the highest on record.

The property committee will see to the necessary improvements and repairs required. A committee was appointed to meet the doctors of the town to consult re. medical examination. The dentists will also be interviewed.

Owing to the statement of Principal McKenzie that the schools were now overcrowded, and that after Easter no doubt another detachment of children would be ready for the primary department, the Board discussed the advisability of building the south end school as soon as possible. This will probably be done at once.

On Thursday afternoon the Board visited different parts of the town, north-east, east and west, with a view to picking out sites for schools.

At a special meeting of the Board, Friday, it was agreed to purchase a block of land, containing twenty lots, from the Saskatchewan Land Co., situated in West Red Deer, at the corner turning west on the south side of the road, in the West Red Deer subdivision, for the sum of \$2,500.

# Dairy Herd Management

Mr. G. H. Hutton, Superintendent of the Experimental Farm, Lacombe, will lecture at the Dairy School, Red Deer Creamery, on Thursday afternoon next at 2:30, and on Friday forenoon at 10:30 on "Dairy Herd Management." Farmers and others interested are invited to attend these lectures. Mr. Hutton is a recognized authority on the subject.

Saving is the first step toward success. Investigation the second, and an investment in Red Deer West the third.



RENT is wholly an expense, with no investment feature. It accumulates to more than the value of the property; and you have nothing to show for it. The owner gets the benefit of all increase in value.

Payments on an agreement for purchase are an investment. The amount of the payments is about the same. You have the joy and satisfaction of ownership, and the encouragement to improve the property. You get the increase.

A small cash payment makes the necessary beginning. Call and talk it over with us.

# Malcolm & Carscallen

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# Amalgamation

The Builder and Contractor, formerly the Bulletin, has amalgamated with the Provincial Standard, Calgary, and will hereafter be known as the Calgary Standard. The policy of both papers will be to the financial and building and comment on it. It is the purpose of the new management to give Calgary and the western section of the Dominion a paper that will fill all the wants of the business men. The Standard thanks those who have supported both papers, and trusts that the new financial and building news will meet with the approval of the general public.

# Eckville

Arthur Johnson was a caller here on Saturday.

Jack B. Rogers left for the Rocky Mountain House on Tuesday.

W. D. Maxey is still busy sending up supplies for operations on the Brazeau line during the coming summer.

Mr. Baird from Lacombe was a caller here Wednesday.

Joe Larrabee, walking boss for D. F. McArthur, has been unloading dump cars at the end of the C.N.R. for their steam shovel at the Mountain House.

J. Cahill took a business trip to Red Deer this week.

Chas. Angell left for a visit to Butte, Montana, last week.

Mrs. J. E. Bernard has been on the sick list this week.

# HOME MISSION FIELD.

The following provincial appointments to the mission fields in the neighborhood of Red Deer have been made by the Presbytery of Red Deer.

The appointments are subject to the approval of the General Assembly Committee and take effect on April 1st.

Evarts—Mr. H. Appleton.

Leslieville—Mr. M. McLean.

Rocky Mountain House—Mr. A. D. Pringle.

Sylvan Lake—Mr. G. O. W. Hicks.

Finlay Mission—Rev. K. E. Korlson.

Cumberland—Mr. Wm. Eakin.

Trenville—Mr. J. F. Seilley.

Lalorville—Mr. S. Jardine.

Elmore—Student, to be appointed.

Trochu—Rev. L. E. Gosling.

Three Hills—Rev. P. A. McNabb.

Bethel—Mr. Chas. Clark.

Blackfalds—Mr. J. J. Graham.

Penhold—Rev. A. Rowat.

Millerton—Mr. G. G. Mitchell.

Edwards—Mr. J. W. Smith.

Gough Lake—Mr. W. Marsh.

VOTE ON CHURCH UNION.

The result of the ballot on church union in the Presbyterian church, Red Deer, is as follows: Elders—2 for, 3 against. Members—29 for, 77 against. Adherents—6 for, 41 against. Total—37 for, 121 against.

In addition to the above, who voted both against union and against the basis, 5 members and 3 adherents voted against the basis.

# BIRTHS.

On March 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hardenburg, a son.

On March 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Tennant, Evarts, a son.

On March 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. McGuinness, a son.

On March 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Neilson, New Hill, a daughter.

# Final Games

The finals in the different competitions of the Red Deer Curling Club, have been played, and all that now remains is the singles, which should be played at once. The winners of the different cups are:

Red Deer Cup—L. J. Porter, Hugh Baird, G. W. MacKenzie, Dr. Plaxton, skip.

Brampton Cup—Roy Stone, W. G. Parker, E. Beckett, J. M. Campbell, skip.

Fayns Cup—W. Campbell, Cecil Howson, J. M. Carscadden, T. A. Gaetz, skip.

Stephenson Cup—N. Murphy, Geo. Best, J. F. Boyce, H. L. Gaetz, skip.

# Obituary Notices

Died, at Willowdale, Sunday, March 17th, Jean, wife of Philip McIntosh, aged 41 years. The funeral took place at Mount Pleasant Cemetery yesterday.

Died, at Poplar Ridge, on Tuesday, March 13th, Evelyn, beloved wife of Thomas East, aged 52 years. Deceased was a patient sufferer for two years, and bore her affliction with Christian fortitude. She leaves a sorrowing husband, two sons and three daughters to mourn her death. The funeral takes place tomorrow at 3 o'clock to Red Deer Cemetery.

Rev. Mr. Bennett will conduct the services first at the residence, then at the cemetery.

Died, at the Red Deer Memorial Hospital, on March 13th, Helgi Bardel, of Markerville, aged 32 years. The remains were taken to Markerville for burial.

Died, at the Red Deer Memorial Hospital, on March 18th, Stina Johnson, wife of Peter Johnson, Evarts, aged 70 years. The funeral took place from the undertaking parlors of H. G. Stone & Sons yesterday afternoon for the Red Deer Cemetery, where interment took place.

Died, Monday morning, at the Memorial Hospital, Helen, Elizabeth McKinnon, aged 23 years. Deceased was one of the nursing staff of the hospital. She was born in Prince Edward Island, and came to Red Deer only a short time ago, and was a niece of Miss McKinnon of the W. E. Lord Co's dressmaking department.

The funeral service will be held at the Presbyterian church, of which she was a member, at 2:30, Thursday afternoon, after which interment will take place at Red Deer Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

The Men's Brotherhood of the Methodist Church will have an address on Socialism by Dr. Riddell on Sunday next. Dr. Riddell has been making a study of Socialism, and will give an interesting talk. The meeting begins at 3:45. All men invited.

Don't miss Lund's big sale on April 2nd.

# FRANK MOTT & SON, AUCTIONEERS

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# SALE DATES BOOKED

March 21st, At Mrs. Arthur Hives, 3 miles direct west of Penhold, Live and dead stock.

" 28th At Mr. F. Ross's, Pine Lake, a large and important sale of Live and Dead Farm Stock, Hay, Grain, Household Furniture &c., he having purchased the Carriek Hotel.

FOR SALE—5 well bred SHORTHORN HEIFERS, due to calve in June.

A New 5-roomed House, fully modern, on one lot, for only \$2,900, and situated in residential part of the town. \$500 will handle it, balance arranged.

A well-finished 3-roomed House and 2 Lots in North Red Deer, for only \$950, half cash, balance 6 and 12 months. Also some good lots close to saw-mill.

40 good Lots, all together, in Red Deer West. Enquire at once.

3 Very fine large lots on Woodlee Crescent on good terms. Price right.



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# Michener, Carscallen & Co.



## Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta.

The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may preempt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years (from date homestead entry including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$300.

W. W. CORY,  
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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We have a large sum of Money to purchase MORTGAGES or make LOANS on Improved Farm Property.

No delay.

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RED DEER-ALTA.

# THE SECRET OF FAIRY

By JOHN MARCH  
Author of "A CHILD OF MANY PRAYERS," Etc.

(Continued from last week)

"I ask ten thousand pardons," said the girl, looking up at him with a joyful light in it, and her beautiful, brown hair and gleaming like polished ivory under the black sequined net.

"I'll not pardon you for such kisses, 'nail,' she whispered, going to him and kissing him about the neck. "Dear heart, I never dreamed of winning your love so soon."

"But I don't love you," he said, reaching, unclasping her arms and holding her away from him; "it's a mistake, Mrs. Wycherly, a horrible, unceremonious, ghastly mistake. I thought to meet a friend, I expected to find someone else."

They stood staring at one another in a tense, deadly silence. A little breeze swept the branches of the pear trees, and the play of silver light through the clinks and crevices of the summer-house fell across the widow's face. Paul could have sworn that the wide, wonderful hazel eyes of the summer-house fell across the widow's face.

The next moment he thought his nerves and the moonlight had played him false. He saw Wycherly lowered her long dark eyelashes and gazed about her in distressed pathetic embarrassment.

"I hope, Mrs. Wycherly, you will accept my most humble apologies," he said, irritated and annoyed beyond expression at his foolish blunder.

"You I do not wish to see," she said, clasping her hands and looking at him with wet, innocent eyes. "As you say, we have both been victims of a sport of circumstances. I suppose it was to be, Mr. Parley, and we must make the best of it."

He could see she was employing all her energies to subdue and control a powerful, almost overmastering excitement.

"I don't see why it should," he said, quietly. "We understand each other. As if anxious to conciliate, and I must admit, Mr. Parley, I am extremely mortified that I should have found me at this hour and uninvited on Mr. Fleming's premises."

It must seem very strange to you, perhaps you won't mind if I stay a few minutes just to explain? It was impossible to remain in such a position; so, after dinner, I threw this face about my hair and went into the garden. The scene was so still, so solemn, so enchanting, that a vagrant child longed to creep over me to wander away somewhere in the miles of fairland that lay around me. I stole out on the road, and became so enthralled with the mysterious, elfin beauty that I scarcely realized I had left the Larches so far behind.

When close to the road, I heard the sound of wheels and a long peal of thrilling laughter. I started to escape observation, I glided through the little wooden gate into Mr. Fleming's orchard. I passed into the shrubbery, intending to go out that way on to the road again, and while I waited for the car to pass, I heard the hoofs to die away I spied this poor thing, but, thought if it were not too overrun with spiders and insects I would rest a moment. I had scarcely seated myself when you appeared in the doorway. I thought you must have seen and followed me. I had no reason to suppose that you cared for or came here to meet another woman."

Paul stood watching the varying expression of her lovely face, his head thrown slightly back, his eyes fixed on his short upper lip.

"I am sorry," he said, politely. "I have caused you some trouble. I am sure, I trust, Mrs. Wycherly, you will forgive and forget it."

"I don't mind," she said, looking up at him with a frank ingenuous smile. "I don't think it can be a bit of a squallor or a prurish; I just forget everything save that we two are finer and better friends even than we were before."

She drew the cloudy lace about her head and slipped her hand through his arm.

"You will walk back with me?" she said, persuasively. "It's very light and bright I think, but the road is lonely."

The statement was undeniable, and he considered it wiser to be judiciously to refuse. He thought of Agnes, and felt convinced she would not return, and he felt that it was wiser to end an awkward and disagreeable episode pleasantly if it were at all possible.

She clasped both her tiny jewelled hands on his arm, and laughed and chatted with bright, vivaciousity. She strove gracefully to erase any invidious impression and to infuse an entirely new set of ideas and thoughts, and accordingly he found it a difficult matter not to be influenced by her sweet womanly irrepressible charm.

"I have not had any reply," she laughed, "but of course, you are coming to my hall."

"As you are kind enough to make such a point of it, Mrs. Wycherly, I suppose I must come," he said, a little bewildered at being unable to fathom her intense desire for his presence.

"Goodnight, then," she said, and she slipped her hand through his arm.

She looked into the marvellous eyes, liquid with emotion, laid her head on his shoulder, and with any sort of warning burst into a flood of tears.

With one arm he encircled her, stroked her cheek and smoothed her ruffled hair very tenderly.

"Don't fret about it, Agnes," he said brokenly. "I have just finished motor-like across your path, only for a moment, and I shall be gone in six months. Let us turn a corner on purpose to meet twice; half the calamities we see coming to us will be gone in no time, and then it will rest with you as to whether we ever meet, or hear of one another again."

"You have never told me yet how you got on since in London," she sobbed.

He smiled, though the troubled expression was still on his eyes.

"Fairly well. During the first few days the sense of freedom and the knowledge that I was my own master was simply delicious. The novelty, of course, soon wore off. I sold the violin, and took up my abode in a small private hotel in Southampton Row. I kept my nose out of mischief."

He studied the advertisement sheet

large carefully. "Oh, my dear, how unfortunate!" he said, with a gasp. "I have been bruised and discolored cheek." "Felt told me about the East Weyburne incident."

"Who is Felix?" "Why, my brother, Felix Fleming, the best and dearest, the most sensible and kindest-hearted man in the world! I am so glad he has asked you to see him."

"So am I; clandestine meetings are evidently too dangerous a game for you and me to play."

"Yes, I would rather it had been any other woman in the country than Mrs. Wycherly. I—oh, Paul, I nearly forgot it—we saw her last night, Rowena, I mean, hiding in the Hargrave's Avenue."

"And I also," he said, pursing his lips as if he were about to whistle. "Mr. Fleming thought a little bit moonstruck."

"What business has she to creep and hide about other folks' premises?" he asked indignantly. "She has large, beautiful grounds of her own; why can't she keep there?"

"Perhaps she is tired of her own society, and is looking for?" "You're a dandy, Aggie! I may be a little bit of a dandy, but I am not a word against anyone, but I have heard him say some very foolish things. He once said he had lived a hundred years ago she would have been buried as a witch."

Paul laughed, and slipped his arm round her waist. "You're a dandy, Aggie! The woman can't do more than make love to me, and however aggravating that may prove, it can't hurt me."

"Ah, well," she said, nodding her head wisely. "When I think about it, I am afraid for you. I am positive you could not shake her off as you could—Judith Hargrave, for instance."

"What do you know about Judith?" he asked, flushing.

"Everything," she told me directly I came home. She told me the man meant to marry you at all costs, in spite of that her family might say or do to the contrary. She also said that she would not sleep again till in some way, she had broken the ice between you."

"Miss Hargrave's creed teaches that the accident of birth counts for nothing. It admits of unique claims and privileges, that when a baronet's daughter stoops to woo a lowly hewer of wood, it is inevitable, a foregone conclusion."

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all the London dailies and repeating in my wardrobe. One morning I came across Sir Thomas Hargrave's advertisement and saw that I had found I was an American and had lately flown to England to try my wings. I told him I was a writer, and he asked me to write for him. I told him I was a writer, and he asked me to write for him. I told him I was a writer, and he asked me to write for him.

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an impracticable hand on her arm, "you must trouble him."

"I will," she said, "I can't," she said, somewhat defiantly. "I venture to think the comparison is not synonymous," he replied stiffly, "one in the substance, the other the shadow. I never loved you, I never should; but he did, and does. His heart is under your head; so you can mar his prospects and ruin his young life. Let us forget the inevitable, and think only of Polheim."

Her color deepened, but she did not speak.

"It seems to me," he continued, "it has always struck me in my thoughtful moments, that some sort of opportunity is given to us poor mortals to redeem or to lessen the consequences of our blind and manifold mistakes. I think, Miss Judith, that probably your life's opportunity has come. I would recognize and use it were I you."

He spoke with the energy of a man who believed implicitly in what he said, and she was touched by the sincerity of his every tone and gesture, and the earnest appeal in his great dark eyes.

"You think that, however much it goes against the grain, I ought to go to London and tell him I am willing to be engaged to him?" "I am quite certain you ought. It is the only way by which you will ever travel to happiness."

She laid her arm on the chimney-piece, and let her forehead rest on it. "It's not a pleasant thing to do," she whispered.

"Life is no longer pleasant with its thousand pressing claims and duties; we cannot have the crown without the cross. I cannot expect to enter even Paradise without a shoulder. I think, Miss Judith, that probably your life's opportunity has come. I would recognize and use it were I you."

"Thank you," he said, a glad light in his eyes. "You have lifted a burden from my heart. All along I have felt more or less responsible for the happiness of you both, and at times the weight has been only what I could manage to carry."

"I am sorry, I am sorry. I'm a silly, selfish girl, and you've been so kind to me. I shall go to London and tell him I am willing to be engaged to him."

"Not at all," he said, stopping over the railing of her gown to open the door. "Do you think Anthony will refuse to see me?" she asked, suddenly turning back.

"The possible," he answered grudgingly, looking at her and then breaking into a soft laugh, he shook his forefinger at her and whispered— "Oh, woman, my name is vanity!"

CHAPTER VIII. The Manor parlor was a low, studded room paneled with dark wood, having a large, high chimney-piece of white marble and a large, high chimney-piece of white marble.

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## Manitoba Wins By Big Vote

### Seventeen Liberals, Including Two Ex-Ministers, Desert Laurier in Try-out

Ottawa, March 13.—The most exciting and dramatic debate since 1896 came to a close at four o'clock this morning when the amendment of Hon. Dr. Beland to the Manitoba boundaries bill, calling for a six months' hiatus so as to hold a conference between the Dominion and the provinces on the educational question was defeated by a vote of 107 to 52, and unprecedented majority of 55. Following the amendment, the third reading of the bill was passed by the same majority. The Nationalists bolters voted with the government against the amendments.

So great was the interest in the debate that a string of spectators waited until the bill was finally past the final vote, which was marked by considerable enthusiasm. Hon. R. L. Borden, Hon. Robert Rogers and the French ministers were given great receptions when they voted.

**NATIONALISTS SUPPORT.**  
BORDEN.  
Paul Lamarche and A. Mondou, who led the fight of the Nationalists, as well as the bolters, were given a great cheer when they voted with the government on the final decision. When the clerk read the Nationalists, showing a majority of 55, there was a wild scene of enthusiasm. Conservative members led the cheering. Hon. Robert Rogers, Hon. Dr. Roche and the Manitoba members were warmly congratulated at the conclusion of the long fight, which means a greater Manitoba.

## FINANCE MINISTER PRESENTS BUDGET

### Record Surplus This Year.

Ottawa, March 14.—Hon. W. T. White, the new minister of finance, presented the first budget of the new government to the house yesterday under the most gratifying circumstances. He was able to announce a surplus which was nearly ten millions larger than the last year's surplus of the Laurier administration.

Canada will have on the right side of the ledger this year no less than \$10,000,000. The wonderful prosperity and progress of the country was reflected in the financial statement which Mr. White was able to present to the house. The revenue for the year will be \$123,000,000, or some \$19,000,000 increase on the record receipts of last year. The surplus is such that all capital expenditures for the year will be met out of it, including the \$5,000,000 hand-out to the Grand Trunk Pacific through the blundering of the other government. But the debt of the country will be decreased by \$1,150,000.

**NO TARIFF CHANGES.**  
Mr. White announced that there would be no tariff changes. There have been many requests for changes but the government considered none of them so urgent that it could not wait until the establishment of its new tariff commission. In reply to a question by E. E. MacDonald, of Pictou, Mr. White added that there could be no renewal of the steel bounties, the announcement being greeted with cheers. Mr. White was in a difficult position. Not only as the first budget of the new government, but it was presented by a man who had never sat in the house before, and was without political training or experience. His speech was a justification, if any was needed, of Premier Borden's selection of him as his finance minister.

Calmly and dispassionately, as in addressing a meeting of shareholders or of bank directors, he presented a clear, succinct and thorough financial statement of the position of the Dominion. He was followed during the two hours he was on the floor with the closest attention, and at the close he had the unique honor of being loudly applauded alike by Conservatives and Liberals.

**ESTIMATED REVENUE.**  
The end of the financial year does not close until March 31, and the books do not close until a month later, so that Mr. White could not do more than closely estimate this year's receipts and expenditures. The revenue up to the end of February was \$77,345,824, and the total he anticipated would approximate \$97,000,000.

Taking a look forward into the future, Mr. White said no reason to doubt that the prosperity of the country and the wonderful expansion of business would continue.

That Mr. White appreciates the necessity of providing more outlets for western crops was shown by his reference to the transportation problem.

**MUST DEVELOP COUNTRY.**  
"The country," he said, "is in its growing period, and the government has to do its part to increase transportation facilities by the improvements of canals and railways, deepening harbors, and other public undertakings. A genuine expenditure, I believe, will be approved by the people. Outlets for the conveyance of western crops are needed. The government is committed to the project of building the Hudson's Bay railroad, the C.N.R. is extending its line to Vancouver, and the G.T.P. is pushing on to Prince Rupert. In time the Panama canal will be built, and then it will be necessary for the movement of grain westward."

**Hospital Board Elect Presiding Officials**  
At the first meeting of the Board of Directors of the Memorial Hospital for 1912 of Wednesday, March 6, F. H. Tallman was re-elected president, Geo. W. Smith Vice-president, and A. W. G. Allen Secretary-treasurer of the Board.

Mayor Welliver and others of the directors spoke in the warmest terms of Mr. Tallman's faithful service and unwearied oversight of the hospital business, and pressed on him re-election, owing to the building ahead this year.

The matter of added accommodation was discussed. The Matron's report showed an average of 23 patients in the hospital last month, while the regular accommodation is 22. The Matron recommended adding two more wards to the enlargement proposed. This would give in all additional accommodation for 16 patients. The directors decided to ask the Town Council to submit a by-law to the ratepayers for some \$10,000 for additional accommodation and the installation of steam heating throughout.

It was decided to ask the Town Council to make the annual grant \$500 this year instead of \$500, owing to the government grant being reduced from 35 cents to 25 cents per patient.

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**HORSES:** Brown horse, 11 years old, weight 1400 lbs.; bay mare, in foal, 6 years old, weight 1250 lbs.; grey mare, 9 years old, weight 1200 lbs.

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As Mr. Cornell is leaving for the State of Kansas, everything will be sold without reserve. Lunch at 11.30. Sale starts at 12 o'clock.

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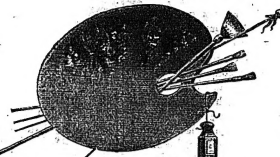
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ADVERTISING RATES ON APPLICATION

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#### MANITOBA'S VICTORY.

Manitoba is triumphant, says the Winnipeg Telegram, but not at the expense of any other province of the Dominion, but rather with their co-operation and good will. The boundary bill has passed its third reading by an unprecedented majority, and all that remains is a matter of formality. Manitoba owes her thanks to all those who participated in the fight for equality, but to two men especially the credit belongs, and to them it will be cheerfully accorded. One of these is Hon. R. P. Roblin, the premier of this province. He set himself like a rock against any settlement of the boundary question which would be derogatory to the rights of Manitoba, or render the province constitutionally inferior to the other constituent provinces of Confederation. He had to bear the accusation of keeping the question open for political purposes. He had to stand the onslaught of a hundred insidious attacks. But he never wavered, and may now congratulate himself upon a justification and a victory far greater than the people of Manitoba had reason to hope for. The other is the Right Hon. R. L. Borden, who has courageously and with definiteness of purpose implemented his pledges to Manitoba. It is easy to see what a knotty question the matter of Manitoba's boundaries was. The debate in the House showed that. But Mr. Borden cut his way clear through all the different forces opposing the settlement to the essential principles of rectitude upon which it should rest. This should give every Canadian confidence in Mr. Borden and his administration in other matters. The cry of Manitoba is the echo of the Dominion. That arch opportunist, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, may yield with such grace or ill-grace as he will. He was afraid to do what was right, and Mr. Borden was not. That is all there is about the matter.

#### MR. TREGILLUS, MONOPOLIST.

Mr. Tregillus, President of the United Farmers of Alberta, evidently feels that he must, as president of this great organization, step into the limelight or he will be forgotten. He therefore gives out an interview to the News-Telegram of Calgary. In it he is rather hard on monopolists and the privileged classes. He infers everyone who is making much money belongs to these classes. He spoke of great rises in real estate in Calgary, Toronto and other places which is all made out of the people. He says further: "Thus it will be seen that while the farmers of this Dominion are the laboring classes in our cities have been creating almost unthinkable sums of wealth annually, it has been appropriated by the monopolists and the privileged classes, leaving in the hands of the producers—in some instances—barely enough for existence." Now we understand that Mr. Tregillus has made hundreds of thousands of dollars by this very means. He speaks of, namely, owing to the rise of real estate in Calgary. By his own words, therefore, he is a monopolist and belongs to the privileged classes. Another instance we have in mind is James Bower, late president of the U.F.A., sold one of his quarter sections of land, adjacent to Red

Deer, for a large sum of money, and will make a hundred thousand more if he holds on to his remaining property for a few years. There does not appear to be any wild desire on the part of these gentlemen to unload their wealth in favor of the poor, down-trodden farmer, but it goes down deep in their veins, and a satisfied smile steals over their faces as they amass their millions. They have made a few thousand by speculation.

#### BORDEN AND BOURASSA.

The Liberal press has loudly declared that "Bourassa bosses Borden." The absurdity of this contention has been repeatedly demonstrated at Ottawa in the last few weeks. The Prime Minister's firm refusal to impose a dual school system on the new districts now being annexed to Manitoba is the latest proof that Mr. Borden is not the slave of Bourassa as Laurier was the Liberal leader fastened Separate Schools upon Saskatchewan and Alberta. Under Laurier, Bourassa actually wrote the clauses depriving the two younger provinces of self-government in educational matters. Today Mr. Bourassa is thundering on the platform and in the clerical press because Mr. Borden will not allow him to draw up a dual school clause for inclusion in the Manitoba boundaries legislation. The Prime Minister will not have any such interference with Provincial autonomy. He stands immovable and his colleagues with him. That is why the Liberal press is so angry these days.—Toronto News.

#### NEGATIVES.

The Advocate's criticism of the Conservative platform is like the fellow who said, "I don't believe in Heaven, I don't believe in hell, I don't believe in anything." It finds fault with almost every plank. The platform is too extensive and too profuse. "Too much high-sounding but really unmeaning; it is not misleading professions in it." "The liquor interest will lose no sleep over the liquor plank." Even commissions are becoming dangerous although the Advocate's pet. Sir Wilfrid, was always appointing commissions. It, however, approves of "Direct Legislation" and "Government loans to settlers," even if the platform is overloaded, and after tearing the rest of the platform into little bits, so to speak, says "it is on the whole a progressive line of policy and will prompt the government to still greater effort to serve the people."

The Advocate, when it has its floor, generally answers itself before it takes a seat.

#### EDMONTON FORGING AHEAD.

A Calgary paper says the sensation of the commercial world is the rapid jump that Edmonton is making in the weekly bank clearings, even passing Calgary last week, and says this is due to the grain tie-up in the south. We wish to inform the Liberals papers of Calgary they are harking up the wrong tree, and they will receive a good many jolts of this nature before many years are passed. The railway policy of the Sifton government is largely to blame, as the unscrupulous politicians of the Liberal party, backed by the Calgary organs, are boosting Edmonton and the north to the detriment of the south country, including Calgary. Sifton's railway policy, outside of graft, is all right for the north, but it will be a bad body blow to Calgary just the same.

### INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS.

According to the record of industrial accidents kept by the Department of Labour, 61 persons were killed and 178 injured during February, 1912. This record compares very favorably with that of January, when 86 workmen were killed and 214 injured. Compared with February, 1911, the record is still more favorable, as 93 were killed and 197 injured in that month. The worst disaster of the past month was the premature explosion of dynamite on construction work near Fort Frances, Ont., on the line of the Canadian Northern Railway, by which 13 construction hands were killed and six others seriously injured.

#### HOUSE BUILDING ON

#### THE FARM.

Any farmer who contemplates building a new house or remodeling an old one will find invaluable information in an article entitled "House Building on the Farm," by Walter James Brown, which appears in the March number of Farmer's Magazine. This high-class monthly magazine, although only a little over a year old, has already won its way into the affections of farmers and lovers of the rural life in every province of Canada. The articles in this number are well illustrated. A copy can be had by writing to the MacLean Publishing Co., University Ave., Toronto.

The Grand Trunk plans for 1912 in connection with their hotels will be pushed as fast as possible. Work on the Port Garry Hotel in Winnipeg will be rushed, and it is the intention of the Company to complete a whole chain of hotels right across the continent. These magnificent structures will be on models similar to the Chateau Laurier in Ottawa, and the Port Garry in Winnipeg. The plans for the hotel which is to be erected in Edmonton have been completed and the contracts will be issued shortly. This hotel will be about 150 rooms and will cost about \$750,000. A similar hotel will be built in Regina and plans are now being prepared. Plans have also been prepared and are being examined for the first of the mountain hotels at Miette Hot Springs. This will be a very complete building, and will offer all that is to be desired to tourists and mountain travellers. Work is also being proceeded with on the plans for another large mountain hotel in the vicinity of Mount Robson, the highest mountain in the Canadian Rockies, and which towers above the sea level. This location will be the most beautiful and the most attractive mountain on the continent of America. Plans have also been prepared and inspected for the new mammoth hotel at Prince Rupert, and work on it will be proceeded with shortly.

Red Deer is beyond the stage where an eastern paper's opinion as to whether property within its boundaries is a good buy or not, counts for anything. There are too many satisfied customers making thousands of dollars by good safe investments in real estate to care what an occasional knocker can say. The Toronto Globe states an untruth when it says Red Deer is not a good place to invest money. The paper does not know. There is not a foot of property within the town that has not increased in value at least fifty per cent. in the past year. Is that not a good investment? The Globe says Red Deer has not progressed like other towns in the province, only four cities being ahead of her, and she has always held her own against the rest of the province and always will. And the News firmly believes the time will come when Red Deer will be the third largest city in this great province of Alberta.

The Calgary Albertan has willfully and maliciously attacked R. B. Bennett, M.P., for some trumped-up derogatory remarks regarding American settlers in Montreal. It now turns out that Mr. Bennett never made the remarks, and the Albertan, instead of making a manly apology, actually insults the member for Calgary by insinuating that if he did not make the remarks credited to him, he ought to have made them anyway.

Millions of bushels of grain in Saskatchewan and Alberta are still in the stock, the unfavorable season last year not allowing farmers in a great many instances to thresh. The Liberal papers are blaming this state of affairs on the government, and trying to make capital out of it. The farmers are wise enough to know what is the real cause and will govern themselves accordingly.

No matter how bitter, vindictive, and untruthful the Liberal papers are in their attacks on the Conservative party, and no matter how much they defame the name of our fair province, the inwardly intelligent settlers from Great Britain and the United States continue. It is now claimed that at least 600,000 new settlers will come to the west during 1912, and there is plenty of room for millions more. Let them all come.

It is one of the peculiar features of Liberal policy that before September 21st last not a word was said by the Alberta government or Liberal press of the province regarding the inequality and injustice of western freight rates. The rates were established by the Liberal party and, as farmers are not fools as a rule, the Liberal party will have to stand the blame and not the Conservative government.

It keeps the Liberal press busy these days apologizing for misstatements, made by them recklessly and without foundation. The Advocate said a few days ago that not only was the Borden government going to renew the iron bounties but was going to increase them. Now it turns out they will not be renewed. Finance Minister White made a statement to that effect last week in his budget speech.

#### HUMP STEAK.

Camel flesh has been sold for food in Paris for the first time. Hump steak.

#### Horn Hill

A very enjoyable evening was spent on Friday night, March 8th, at the home of Cox Bros., Horn Hill, when the young people of Glenview, the Misses Loveland of Red Deer, and Miss Miller of Penhold, were entertained. The principal game was croquet, several boards being used. Luncheon was served at 11 o'clock after which Mr. Dalgleish gave some very excellent music on the violin, accompanied by Miss Glenzie. After the games were finished, and the good-byes were said, they drove away with their four-horse team, singing "Merely We Roll Along." It was a merry party, even if the young ladies did have to walk a few steps over the bare ground.

### Market Prices

Butter .....	80c to 85c
Eggs .....	20c
Poatoes .....	50c
Turnips .....	75c
Wheat .....	85c
No. 1 Spring .....	85c
No. 2 Spring .....	82c
No. 3 Spring .....	75c
No. 4 Spring .....	70c
No. 5 Spring .....	65c
No. 6 Spring .....	60c
Feed .....	37c
No. 1 Red .....	73c
No. 2 Red .....	72c
No. 3 Red .....	71c
No. 4 Red .....	68c
No. 5 Red .....	65c
No. 6 Red .....	63c
Feed .....	37c
Ex. 1 Feed Oats .....	28c
No. 1 Feed Oats .....	27c
No. 3 Barley .....	40c
No. 4 Barley .....	37c
Red Deer U. F. A. Co-operative Association shipped a car of oats at 30 cents and 3 carloads of barley at 58 cents on Monday.	
Hogs .....	8c
Choice fat steers, 1200 to 1400 .....	5c up
Choice fat steers, 1000 to 1200 .....	5c
Cows .....	5c to 5 1/2c

### Announcement

We, the undersigned, have purchased the Red Deer Implement Co.'s business and stock, and will continue the business as the Red Deer Implement Co.

We trust that the old firm's customers will give us a call, when in need of anything on our line, and we shall always try to give them entire satisfaction.

When it comes to quality, the Red Deer goods speak for themselves. Our goods are the good kind. We will be pleased to show you through our warehouse, whether you buy or not.

CHARLES WARING.  
ELI HOWLETT.

Red Deer, March 14, 1912.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

We, the undersigned, have sold out our interest in the Red Deer Implement Co. to Messrs. Eli Howlett and Charles Waring. All accounts and notes due the Red Deer Implement Co. are payable to the new firm. All accounts owing by the Red Deer Implement Co. will be paid by the new firm at their office. We wish to thank all our old customers for past patronage and to bespeak for the new firm a good share of the implement and machine business of Red Deer. We believe the new firm will give their customers the same satisfaction which we have always tried to render in the past.

J. F. BUTLER.  
LEED MAPLIN.  
Red Deer, March 14th, 1912.

# THE W. E. LORD CO.'S GRAND SPRING OPENING

NOW IN FULL SWING! COME TO-DAY!

## A GORGEOUS DISPLAY Of Springtime Millinery

Our Millinery Department is now simply ablaze with the most charming creations for spring. The hat for every face is here, the hat for every occasion, the hat for every purse. Let nothing prevent you from seeing our splendid display of the very newest styles. One visit will convince you that our showing is beyond comparison.

Tuesday, March 19th.

The "Simplicity and Wearableness" of this seasons millinery is a charming feature which will be appreciated.

Small hats are good style, especially for immediate wear.

Large hats are well shown with the most aggressive plumes, aigrettes and flower trims.

This season you may wear practically any shape you prefer and almost any shade, the most favored colors being the new Du Barry shade, cerise, magenta and various greens, greys and blues.

Our Millinery Department is in charge of Miss James, who came directly from New York, where she held a designers position with Anderson's for the last five years.

Miss James did not come purposely to fill our position; she came to Alberta to make a short visit with her sister, and it was our good fortune to meet her and to secure her services, enabling us to place at your disposal the knowledge and skill of a genuine New York milliner, who has credentials showing her recent engagement with Anderson's, 26 East 59th Street, which is just around the corner less than fifty yards off Fifth Avenue.

### NEWEST and SMARTEST Styles in SPRING SHOES For MEN and WOMEN

A visit to the store should by all means include a Special Visit to the Shoe Department. There you will find displayed for your inspection the most approved styles for early spring wear. Dressy Shoes that combine effective appearance with durable wear and at a medium price.

The famous George A. Slater Shoes, the Invictus and the Celebrated Empress Makes

are here in the very newest styles.

LET US SHOW YOU.

### EXCLUSIVE STYLES IN NEW SPRING SUITS FOR LADIES

Showing the many new features to be seen in the higher class garments, such as the side frills of Irish lace, large buttons of unique design and new ideas in the cut and finish of collars and lapels. Suits such as we are showing are the very last word in style and elegance, garments that at once impart an air of distinction to the wearer. We cordially invite your inspection.

ONE PIECE DRESSES in many styles and colorings.  
NEW SPRING COATS in black silk, rough tweed and fancy coatings in great variety.  
BEAUTIFUL WAISTS of Silk, Net and Linen suitable for every occasion and marked very low.

YOU'LL BE VERY GLAD YOU CAME.

## SIR! Your New Spring Suit is Here

Our suits are the very highest expression of the tailors art, in style, drape, and distinctiveness. They give character to a man's figure and the consciousness of being well dressed at all times.

We keep Semi-Ready and Progress clothes in stock all the year round. We have all the newest and most correct shades in silk mixed worsteds as well as plain serges.

We welcome the most fastidious dresser for we know that we can please him. Our range of sizes is so great that we can guarantee a perfect fit.

You will be surprised what \$15 will do and from there upward we have no competitors.

You are welcome, thrice welcome. Let us show you the new styles whether you purchase or not.



## Made-to-Order Tailoring

A specialty. Hundreds of samples to choose from, either the Semi-Ready or the famous Art clothes for men.

Prices \$18.00 to \$35.00

# W. E. LORD CO., LTD.



## By G. N. WELSH

### UNRESERVED CREDIT AUCTION SALE

Having received instructions from Joe H. Rocek, I will sell his entire stock of horses and implements at the town of Evans, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 1912.

Roan horse, 5 years old, 1400 lbs., black horse, 5 years old, 1200 lbs., bay mare, 7 years old, 1200 lbs., sorrel mare, 5 years old, 1200 lbs., sorrel horse, 5 years old, 1200 lbs., brown mare, 5 years old, 1200 lbs., brown mare, 5 years old, 1200 lbs., black horse, 3 years old, 1100 lbs., one yearling filly, one brown mare in foal, 5 years, 800 lbs.; team of good road mares, 6 and 8 years team sorrel geldings, 1000 lbs., each 8 years; one gelding, 8 years, 1,000 lbs.

New wagon, 31 inch; set of sleighs 21 inch; set work harness; new, democratic; light buggy; 2-seater buggy; heavy truck 300 kamarrak; porch; spring seat, etc.

Terms of Sale: All sums of \$25.00 and under, cash. On all sums over \$25.00 a credit of eight months will be given purchaser giving a joint bankable note bearing eight per cent interest from date of sale; or five per cent off for cash.

Sale to start at one o'clock sharp. This is your chance to get a good work team, or a good driver. This stock of horses will stand inspection, and will be sold to the highest bidder, without reserve.

JOE H. ROCEK, Proprietor.

COL. G. N. WELSH, Auctioneer.

### MAMMOTH CREDIT SALE

J. W. Carleton, of Blackfalds, 6 miles north of Red Deer, will hold a grand sale of all his horses, 21 pure bred Aberdeen Angus cattle, implements, etc., on MARCH 29th.

Among his purchased cattle are the following bulls:

bull, two years old, "Mollie", pedigree No. 4235. Dam, Mollie Russell 2812. Sire, Red Deer Donald 1774.

1 bull, 1 year old, "Canton King", pedigree No. 5541. Dam, Canton Erolaine 2805. Sire, Blackfalds Red 3748.

1 bull, 5 months old, "Carl Hero", pedigree No. 5542. Dam, Alberta Queen 2806. Sire, Blackfalds Red 3748.

Besides these all his farm implements, household furniture, etc., will be sold. See large bills.

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## By A. B. NASH

### UNRESERVED NINE MONTHS' CREDIT AUCTION SALE

Favored with instructions from F. B. Fisher, Esq., I will sell by public auction at his farm, the South-East quarter of Sec. 1, T. 39, R. 28, W. 4, of 40, about 6 miles west of Red Deer, on the main trail to Sylvan Lake, the following:

ON FRIDAY, 29TH MARCH, 1912.

HORSES: Team purchased imported Clyde mares, 4 and 5 years, 3000 lbs.; bay team of geldings, about 2,000 lbs., rising 4 years old; team mare and gelding, both rising 5 years old; roan gelding, rising 4 years old; bay gelding, 8 years old.

Black cow, 5 years old, fresh in April.

About 100 chickens, laying well.

IMPLEMENTS: 14 disk seed drill, nearly new; two furrow disk plow; breaking plow; set of harrows; McCormick mower; hay rake; portable cultivator and harrow; treadle hay cutter; 2 wagons; 2 sets bolt sleighs; 2 cordwood racks; 2 double sets harness; 31 rails, best quality; riveting machine; new double treadle grindstone; emery grinder, splendid brass vice, steel wagon jack, road scraper, wheelbarrow, the largest size box stove, oil stove, a quantity of lumber, &c.

FURNITURE: New piano, fine tone; music cabinet, new drop head Singer Sewing machine, dining-room table, 6 ft. extension table, quarter oak small table, dining-room sideboard, desk with drawers, 2 chairs, 3 baby's chairs, 2 bedroom dressers, iron washstand complete, 4 iron bedsteads with springs complete, single-bedstead with spring, iron dresser complete, fine leather bed, solid oak cradle with mattress complete, folding baby carriage with runners and wheels, Capitol separator, 8 kitchen chairs, new kitchen cabinet. Perfect pantry, splendid kitchen range, Empress, new; cruet, butter and pickle dishes, kitchen grindstone, meat grinder, about 300 lbs. of flour, pair of marine and field glasses in case, with strap; doubletree, single-tree, ovens, saw axes and handfiles, hand saws, tools, wrenches, brush scythe, logging chains, 2-inch auger, lamps, cooking utensils, pictures, crockery and other things to number on to mention.

Terms of Sale: All sums of \$20 and under, cash. Nine months' credit for good joint bankable note, bearing interest at eight per cent. Five per cent for cash over the \$20.

Those coming from a distance must be provided with good references.

As Mr. Fisher is leaving the country, everything will be sold absolutely without reserve, except the piano, and that has a very moderate reserve.

Lunch at eleven. Sale to commence at twelve o'clock sharp.

Further particulars of F. B. FISHER, Proprietor, or A. B. NASH, Auctioneer.

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## HIGHER RENTS BUT HIGHER WAGES TOO

### Conditions in America Much More Favorable to Wage Earner Than in England

In proposing to make changes in Canada's fiscal system, it will always be necessary for the advocates of free trade or a reduced tariff to convince the people absolutely that the change will not interfere detrimentally with existing conditions. For one thing, the workmen must be assured that tariff reduction will not deprive him of any of the comforts or advantages he now enjoys.

The present well-being of the working man in this country is due to the fact that he is not a wage earner in a condition of free trade is a matter of doubt. To propose that the Canada should export its goods and import its necessities from cutting down the tariff, is a line of action that she cannot afford to take. She must be sure of her ground before taking steps in that direction.

Free Trade England vs. America

It is not proposed exclusively that in countries under a system of free trade, the industrial classes are worse off than they are in countries where protection is accorded to industry. Thanks to the careful investigations of the United States, it is possible to demonstrate that the artisans of the United Kingdom, taken in the aggregate, are not in the same position as the people of the United States, as the artisans of America. England is a typically free trade country and the United States, as typically protectionist one and because the habits, customs and mode of living of the people of both are akin to those of Canada, it follows that a comparison of the conditions prevalent in the two countries will have a direct bearing on the situation, the Dominion.

An Exhaustive Enquiry

The British Board of Trade last year conducted an enquiry into the question of wages and cost of living among the industrial classes of America and included in the report is a valuable comparison of the figures for the United States with those for the United Kingdom and Wales as secured in 1905 and revised to date.

Statistics were secured from twenty-eight cities scattered throughout the industrial states of the East. Further, to make comparisons possible, three classes of industries were selected for investigation—the building trades, the engineering trades and the printing trades—because these three of all others are common to practically all countries.

Without entering into the details of the findings, it was shown that in the building trades, weekly wages in the United States exceeded those paid in the United Kingdom by a ratio of 243 to 100; in the engineering trades by 218 to 100; and in the printing trades by 245 to 100, or combining all three, the American workman is shown to receive more than 2 1/2 times the money for his work than his British competitor receives. The investigators found further that the proportion of unskilled or semi-skilled labor is greater in America, while what is termed unemployable labor is greater in England.

Rents Higher in America

Passing on to the important question of rents, the best of comparison was found in houses containing the same number of rooms. Four-roomed dwellings were the most common in every city investigated both in England and America. Five-roomed houses were general in the American houses, while less permanent in construction as a rule, much roomier and more commodious than those found in England by 98 per cent; for four-roomed houses by 107 per cent; for five-roomed houses by 120 per cent; and for six-roomed houses by 113 per cent, a mean of 109 per cent. Taken in the aggregate, the average rent per room in America averages 65 cents as compared with 30 cents in England.

Comparative Costs of Food

In order to institute a comparison that would be instructive it was figured out what was the week's food supply of an average British workingman's family would cost in the United States. To compare the purchases of average families in both countries on any other basis would be impossible, because of the different kinds and quantities of food consumed. On this basis it was found that the cost of the average British workingman's family food in America would be 100 to 138, one hundred being the British standard. That is to say, he would have to pay 38% more for identically the same food in America. Conversely, the average British workingman would purchase his usual supplies in England, he would get them for twenty per cent less.

Summing up all these results it may be said that while the cost of food and rent in America is 25% greater than in England, yet wages, being 130% higher, more than offset the higher cost of living. Further, the margin of income over and above food and rent is so great as to make possible a command of the necessities and conveniences and more luxuries of life that is both ornamental and really greater than that enjoyed by the corresponding class in England.

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## GOOD AND BAD TAXES

### "It is peculiar," said the Reeve of Middlemas to his Western nephew, as they sat before the fire and listened to the views of certain choice fields, "how few people realize what an abundant and growing revenue is produced by the Dominion of Canada by the customs and excise tariff."

#### The Modern Farmer

The two men were admirable examples of Eastern and Western farmers. The Reeve was a stout, middle-aged man, a free assailed by the wind but sturdy in his old age. A silent man was the Reeve, and given to speech only when he had brooded long over his subject. The nephew was a long, lithe, nonchalant person, skeptical about the statements of others but enthusiastic in regard to his own, a steel spring of a man, and watchful of his interests. Neither bore any resemblance to that strange hybrid, the vaudeville artist, skilled in presenting to his audience the most grotesque type. They never said "By heck" in their lives. Nor had any of their relatives, friends, or ancestors. The familiar characteristics of the stock creation of the actor's brain were absent. They did not exist except on the variety stage.

An Exhaustive Enquiry

The British Board of Trade last year conducted an enquiry into the question of wages and cost of living among the industrial classes of America and included in the report is a valuable comparison of the figures for the United States with those for the United Kingdom and Wales as secured in 1905 and revised to date.

Statistics were secured from twenty-eight cities scattered throughout the industrial states of the East. Further, to make comparisons possible, three classes of industries were selected for investigation—the building trades, the engineering trades and the printing trades—because these three of all others are common to practically all countries.

Without entering into the details of the findings, it was shown that in the building trades, weekly wages in the United States exceeded those paid in the United Kingdom by a ratio of 243 to 100; in the engineering trades by 218 to 100; and in the printing trades by 245 to 100, or combining all three, the American workman is shown to receive more than 2 1/2 times the money for his work than his British competitor receives. The investigators found further that the proportion of unskilled or semi-skilled labor is greater in America, while what is termed unemployable labor is greater in England.

Rents Higher in America

Passing on to the important question of rents, the best of comparison was found in houses containing the same number of rooms. Four-roomed dwellings were the most common in every city investigated both in England and America. Five-roomed houses were general in the American houses, while less permanent in construction as a rule, much roomier and more commodious than those found in England by 98 per cent; for four-roomed houses by 107 per cent; for five-roomed houses by 120 per cent; and for six-roomed houses by 113 per cent, a mean of 109 per cent. Taken in the aggregate, the average rent per room in America averages 65 cents as compared with 30 cents in England.

Comparative Costs of Food

In order to institute a comparison that would be instructive it was figured out what was the week's food supply of an average British workingman's family would cost in the United States. To compare the purchases of average families in both countries on any other basis would be impossible, because of the different kinds and quantities of food consumed. On this basis it was found that the cost of the average British workingman's family food in America would be 100 to 138, one hundred being the British standard. That is to say, he would have to pay 38% more for identically the same food in America. Conversely, the average British workingman would purchase his usual supplies in England, he would get them for twenty per cent less.

Summing up all these results it may be said that while the cost of food and rent in America is 25% greater than in England, yet wages, being 130% higher, more than offset the higher cost of living. Further, the margin of income over and above food and rent is so great as to make possible a command of the necessities and conveniences and more luxuries of life that is both ornamental and really greater than that enjoyed by the corresponding class in England.

Leslieville

March 13th, 1912.

Miss Jamieson, who was visiting her sister, Mrs. W. McKinnon, returned home to Burnt Lake.

Mrs. Wm. Butterford, who has been ill, is recovering slowly.

Neil McKinnon is visiting his brothers, Archie and Wm. McKinnon, this week.

Miss Margaret Godkin spent Saturday visiting the Misses Patterson

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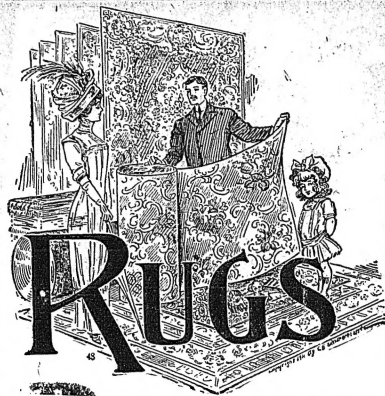
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Although our stock is not quite complete in all lines, we have many nice things to show in Brussels, Wiltons, Axminsters, Pro-Brussels, Tapestry and Wool Squares.

We have chosen our stock with great care, to suit the most critical taste.

Our prices are so moderate that you have no excuse for refusing to buy.

You are invited to come in and look over our fine showing at your earliest convenience.

#### LINOLEUMS

We are expecting a large shipment of Scotch Linoleums to arrive this week. All patterns, all sizes, all prices.

### BEST BROTHERS

The COMPLETE HOME FURNISHERS  
51 First St. South Red Deer, Alta.

## REPORT UPHOLDS BISHOP FALLON

**Le Pays, Which Formerly Condemned Attack on the Bilinguals, is Converted by Dr. Merchant.**

Montreal, March 10.—(Special.)—Le Pays says that, after all, the brutal campaign of Mgr. Fallon of London against the bilingual schools of Ontario is justified by the report just presented by Dr. Merchant, and in Mr. Langlois' sarcastic vein he says the "first people in the world" have received another black eye. Le Pays says the report is "made in a very impartial manner, yet the brutal fact is there that the French-Canadian schools of Ontario are much inferior to the English schools. "How is it that we cannot have better schools. Here in Quebec the inferiority of our schools is most patent. We are always claiming se-

## Mitchell May Make Room For Charlie Cross

**SIFTON CABINET IS IN SESSION**

**Proposal is to Let Member for Edmonton Test Out Public in a Bye-Election.**

The Edmonton Journal of Saturday said: Hon. C. R. Mitchell, attorney-general and minister of education, will leave tomorrow for a month's visit to the Coast. He hopes to spend some time in California, and will be accompanied by Mrs. Mitchell. It may be purely incidental that C. W. Cross, M.P.P. for Edmonton and frequently alluded to of late as candidate for the portfolio of attorney-general, was "buzzing round" the attorney-general's department this morning, and seemed to be more at home in the parliament buildings than he has been for many moons. He crisscrossed the corridors and dipped into the different offices with an old familiar ease. Some of his followers were in attendance. A Bramley-Moore M.P.P. for Alexander, had a session with the premier. The hum of "something doing" was heard in the buildings. The cabinet meets this afternoon. Will the appointment of Mr. Cross as attorney-general, the transference of Mr. Mitchell to the department of education alone, and the date of the consequent bye-election here be all arranged and made today? All these catagolisms are expected to happen within the same short span of time. It is understood that a portfolio was offered Charles Stewart, of Kilham, and M.P.P. for Sedgewick; but he was diffident about acceptance. Sedgewick is not so certain that it would send him back if he sought re-election. Of course, J. R. Boyle, the member for Sturgeon, is an old time seeker after preferment from the gods of politics. Will he be given cabinet rank? If he will, he will likely take all that is coming to him; for he has waited long and hungrily for such small blessings. A general election does not loom immediately. Notwithstanding many reports to the contrary, emanating from what are usually the best of sources nothing can be taken with any degree of assurance, for Premier Sifton cannot make up his own mind what to do. His visits to Ottawa and the East have been notoriously unproductive of good results for him.

He still recalls the chagrin of the trip he took during the Christmas recess. Sir William had left for Paris and Sir Donald was in bed sick. That did not help Mr. Sifton any.

The last month's visit into the same regions did not shed any more hope on what is now a hopeless expectation. The question is, will the Sifton administration do better to go to the country in a general election, say about July, or wait for something to turn up? Certain it is, the railways projected in the grand railway policy will not be built. Certain it is, the grand campaign fund with which the province was to be led to see the halo reflecting itself around the brow of the Sifton administration will not materialize. Siftonism is dead, so every politician says. So the constituencies are telling the Liberal members, for why else should Stewart of Sedgewick prove indifferent to the offer of a cabinet portfolio? Why should Bramley-Moore remain undecided as to whether he will run again in Alexander? Why should the Liberals in Calgary begin fighting among themselves to find out if they have not one strong man to take the place of W. H. Cushing? Why should Cross have been afraid in Edmonton? Why should the Liberal membership of the house, in the words of Peter Gunn and Frank Walker, know that "few of those here now will come back?"

### U. F. A., Hillsdown Local, No. 59.

The monthly meeting of the above association was held in the Hillsdown school house on Saturday, March 9th, with H. A. Gilbert in the chair. The attendance was only moderate, and we should like to urge all members to make an effort to attend more regularly. A circular relating to an amendment to the distribution clause of the Grain Bill, and the advisability of having an elevator on the Pacific coast, provided by the government, was read. The secretary was instructed to write to Ottawa protesting against the amendment and to urge the building of an elevator on the Pacific coast. It was decided to hold a social evening on the 12th April. Everyone will be welcome and a good time is anticipated. R. W. Fiske offered 5 tons timothy at \$5.00 per ton for sale. The next meeting will be held in the Hillsdown school house, April 13th, at 2 o'clock. J. S. MITCHELL, Secretary-Treasurer.

## NEW CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

**WANTED.**  
Young girl for light housework. Apply Mrs. Edward Hunter, Parkvale, Town. Feb 26, 11.

**WANTED.**  
All kinds of live poultry—chickens, turkeys, ducks and geese; also fresh eggs and butter. Highest prices paid.—HEWSON & HEWSON, Poultry and Produce Dealers, 25 Lineham Bldg., Calgary. Phone 3645. Jan. 30.

**MAID WANTED.**  
A competent maid wanted at once. Apply to Mrs. R. B. Welliver, 4th Street North. Mar 13, 11.

**COOK WANTED.**  
A competent cook wanted. Can give employment to a man and his wife if necessary. Enquire at PIPER BRICK CO., Red Deer. Mar 13, 11.

**WANTED.**  
A competent maid for general housework. Duties to commence March 22nd. Apply Mrs. D. G. Horn, Mann St. Mar 6, 11.

**WANTED.**  
Good general servant. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Campbell, 116 Woodlee Crescent, Red Deer. Mar 6, 11.

**WANTED.**  
Good general servant. Apply Mrs. M. Jarvis, Millinery, Red Deer. Mar. 6.

**FOR SALE.**  
Some good second hand furniture. Apply to R. CASTLE, Red Deer, Alta. Mar 13, 11.

**FOR SALE.**  
Team of oxen for sale, weighing 1700 lbs. each, coming 7. Apply H. BENNETT, Leslieville. Mar 13, 3w1.

**FOR SALE OR RENT.**  
A splendid eight-roomed house on Victoria Avenue on two fifty foot lots. Apply to R. B. WELLS, Red Deer, Alta. Mar 13, 11.

**ROOMS TO LET.**  
Two rooms to let, 110, 3rd Street South East, Red Deer. Mar 8, 11.

**FURNISHED BED ROOM TO RENT.**  
For one or two gentlemen. Apply to Mrs. H. Baird, 5th Street North East, Red Deer. Mar 6, 11.

**LARD FOUND.**  
Several pails of lard were found on the west trail a few days ago, and can be procured by the owner by applying to the Indian Industrial School. Mar 10, 3w.

**KEY FOUND.**  
Mrs. Dr. Plaxton found a large latch key near the Presbyterian church Saturday last. The owner may have it by calling at the News Office. Mar 13

**STRAYED NOTICE.**  
One bay mare strayed to my barn on March 4th, 1912. Description: Bay, with white face and 3 white feet, branded T on left fore shoulder; weight 800. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. and paying for feed and care.

**THOMAS NEWCOMB.**  
Sec. 23, T. 38, R. 6, W. 5, Prairie Grange, Alta. Mar 13, 3w.

**TOWN OF RED DEER.**  
Petitions for sewers, watermains, cement sidewalks and boulevards should be sent in to the Town office before April 1st to receive consideration in the estimates for 1912. Forms of petitions will be prepared at the Town office on request of ratepayers.

**A. T. STEPHENSON.**  
Mar 13, 2w. Secretary-Treasurer.

### Eight Months' Credit Auction Sale

Favored with instructions from R. A. Lund, I will sell at his farm, it being North-East Quarter 27-38-27, W. 4th, 2 miles east and 11 miles north of the Red Deer flour mill, on **TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd, 1912,** commencing at 11 a.m., the following:

**HORSES:** Mare, 10 years old, weight about 1250 lbs.; mare, 3 years old, weight 1200 lbs.; gelding, 3 years old, weight 1200 lbs.; bay gelding, 5 years old; single driver, city broke, perfectly safe for lady to drive; a Doctor Cloud colt; 1 good sized yearling Clyde colt.  
**CATTLE:** 3 good milch cows, coming fresh soon; 7 three-year-old cows; these cows are all of good milk stock; 2 two-year-old steers; 7 yearling heifers; 5 yearling steers.  
**BUGGIES, IMPLEMENTS, Etc.:** New two-seated Tudhope surrey (this is a swell rig); road cart; rubber tired buggy, in good repair; McCormick binder with trucks; steel demountable sleigh; 16 inch walking plow; disc harrow, and other small articles.  
**FURNITURE:** Oak dining table; 9 dining-room oak chairs; 3 cupboards; floor chest; 3 upholstered rocking chairs; kitchen table; kitchen cabinet; Singer Sewing machine; incubator, &c.  
Terms of Sale: All sums of \$20.00 and under will be cash. Over that amount a credit of 8 months will be given, purchaser furnishing approved joint bankable note with interest at 8 per cent. from date of sale. 5 per cent. discount will be allowed on all sums over \$20.00 for cash. Sale to commence at 11 a.m. Lunch at noon.  
R. A. LUND, Proprietor  
A. ROGERS, Auctioneer  
Red Deer.

# HURRY! HURRY!

As my stock is still too large to remove I will continue this Sale until it is materially reduced, and will give you the benefit of still better prices than before. This is not a Stock Reducing Sale, but a genuine CLOSING OUT SALE, and it will surely pay you to anticipate your wants for some time to come and take advantage of the wonderful reductions now offering.

Some of the lines are getting low and on these the prices are cut still more, but there is a very complete range of merchandise yet to be had and at prices that will force you to buy. Come and take advantage of these prices at once, as the longer you delay the less chance you will have of getting a good selection. You will save from 50c to 75c on every dollar's worth you buy.

## These are a Few of the Bargains:

<b>Ladies' Suits</b> Former price 25.00, now 16.95 " " 35.00, now 20.00 " " 40.00, now 26.00	<b>Children's and Misses' Dresses</b> Former price 3.50, now 2.25 " " 2.50, now 1.75 " " 1.50, now .95	<b>Kid Gloves</b> In black, tan and grey Former price 1.25, now 95c	<b>English Ginghams and Prints</b> Free from dressing and guaranteed fast colors Former price 15c, now 11c	<b>Ladies' Coats</b> Former price 8.50, now 5.75 " " 16.50, now 10.95 " " 35.00, now 21.00	<b>Children's Coats</b> In Bearskin, prices cut in half
<b>Ladies' Shoes</b> Patent Gun Metal and Tan 4.50 and 5.50, now 3.75 4.00 and 3.75, now 2.75	<b>Dress Goods</b> Prices cut in half	<b>Fancy White Vestings</b> And Colored Suitings Former price 35c and 40c now 19c	<b>Furs</b> Prices cut in half	<b>Madras Muslins</b> Former prices 35c, 50c, 1.00 Now 20c, 35c, 65c	<b>Carpet Squares</b> Former prices 20.00 and 35.00 Now 13.50 and 22.50
				<b>Cushion Covers</b> Former price 75c, now 40c	

## H. L. GAETZ

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## JUST ARRIVED - ALL THE NEWEST AND BEST GOODS

### Millinery

We invite you all to come and see the latest in Ladies' Hats. Pleased to show you whether you buy or not. Prices absolutely correct. You can judge that.

**We have a Complete New Line of RIBBONS**

All shades and all prices.

### Spring Neckwear for Ladies

Latest fashions are now being shown, embracing a varied selection of dainty and pretty Collars, Jabots, Side Frills, Bows, Ties, etc. Muslin, Lace and Embroidery. As usual in this department there are some very distinctive novelties in styles and shapes, making a very welcome change to the types which have been in use during the winter months.

### Suits and Coats

The very latest designs and fashions are shown in this collection of smart ideas. The Coats show the newest development, the greatest departure from those of last season being the slightly increased length. The Skirts, though still showing the straight lines, are not so pronounced in this respect, having more fullness. A leader in fine English Serge we consider exceptional value at 24.50.

### Cotton Voiles

Cotton Voiles will attain a greater popularity this season than ever before. They combine usefulness and beauty in such a degree that they are first favorites both with the smart dresser and with the woman who must study economy. We have prepared for the inevitable demand by securing a selection of colors that will delight those in search of something distinctive. Price per yard, 60c and 75c.

### Of Particular Note for Women

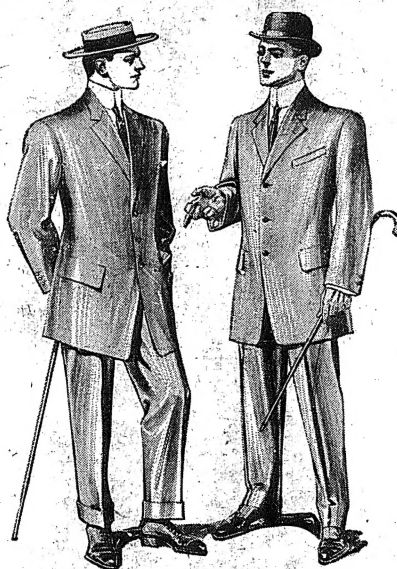
Our Spring stock of Aprons and Overalls is here. A great variety of Aprons, Bibs, Overalls.

At 35c a large sized Apron made of blue and black checked Gingham.

At 1.00 can be found an assortment of Overall Aprons in light and dark colors, plain colors and stripes.

At 1.25—Overall Aprons made of very fine imported prints, full size, in light and dark effects - Special 1.25

### MEN'S CLOTHING



**We have a Complete Line of MEN'S CLOTHING, the best that money can buy and right up to date, at reasonable prices.**

**CALL AND LOOK THEM OVER**

### Shoes

#### NEW ARRIVALS

Ladies' Tan Button, Patent Button, Gunmetal, and a full line of Oxfords.  
A full line of Children's Shoes.

### Men's Shoes

Men's Tan Button, Gunmetal Button all kinds. Tan and Gunmetal Laced Shoes. Full line of Oxfords in all styles and shapes.

### Men's and Boys' Caps

We have 50 dozen Odd Men's and Boys' Caps, all sizes. Prices range from 50c to 1.50—to go at 25c each. Come in and choose them now, as they will not last long.

### Hats

25 dozen Hats, worth from 1.00 to 3.00, to go at 95c. Odds To clean up. All good hats.

### A New Line

Of Men's and Boys' Caps, 50c up.

### Shirts

100 dozen Men's New Shirts, all kinds and prices.

### Men's Collars

Have you seen the J brand Collar? Positively the best collar made.

100 dozen Canvas Gloves, 3 pairs for 25c.

### Specialties in Groceries

GALANTINE ST. IVEL TONGUES  
ROAST CHICKEN  
CAMP PIE  
PORK OUTLETS  
GALANTINE CHICKEN AND HAM  
MINCED COLLOPS  
CAVIARE  
PATE DE FOIS GRAS  
MEAT AND FISH PASTE  
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PHONE 73



## Commissioners Recommend New Bridge on Gaetz Avenue South

The Commissioners brought in the following report :

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**T**HE Lots are selling fast. The property has high merit and immediate profit-making possibilities. The terms are liberal and convenient. The price goes up April 1st. Don't let the opportunity slip. Act today.

ROSS ST. THE SMITH LAND CO. RED DEER



## Sir Wm. Bull Visits Victoria

### PROPOSES TO MAKE LARGE INVESTMENT AT RED DEER

(Victoria Colonist.)

Extensive schemes of industrial development in the western section of Canada brought Sir William Bull, M.P. for Hammersmith, England, to the city of Victoria on Sunday, and caused him to remain here till last night, when he left for Vancouver en route for Red Deer in Alberta, where he is considering the investment of money with a view to developing that point and making it the distributing centre for the coast cities of Victoria and Vancouver of the wheat product of the western prairies. He believes that with the construction of a railway line from Red Deer direct to Vancouver or Victoria, a line which experts declare offers less difficulty than any other route in the country, the gradient not being more than six-tenths of one per cent., Red Deer will become the strategic centre for the distribution of the wheat production of perhaps the best fields in the Dominion and of the world. Sir William, who is a typical Englishman, is accompanied by Mr. W. P. Bull, K.C., Toronto; Mr. Eustace W. C. Stracey, Clitheroe, J.P.; Mr. John Cameron, Premier of British Columbia; Scotland, and Mr. J. H. Macdonald, secretary of the City of Knights, etc.

Learning that Sir William Bull and his friends were visiting the coast in this connection a Colonist representative called at the Empress yesterday and had the privilege of an interview with Sir William.

"The idea of our visit here," he said, "is to make a close inspection of this section of Canada. We had a very pleasant trip across the States from New York to Seattle, breaking our journey at Chicago and Salt Lake City. But the British flag appeals to us most and the evident prosperity of Victoria is very refreshing."

#### A COURAGEOUS POLICY.

"Though I have only been here for a very short time I have learned a few things and among them was the railway policy of the provincial government, to extend and improve our highways and railways. I am sure that such a courageous policy must commend itself to the thinking people of British Columbia, as the proposed extensions are bound to bring permanent and beneficial results to the entire population. To me, such a policy is of particular interest at this time, because of the new railroad which is being constructed to connect Victoria and Vancouver with the wheat lands of Alberta and Saskatchewan, a railway that will have an easier gradient than was heretofore thought possible. I refer to the road from Red Deer, through the Yellowhead Pass via Kamloops to the coast cities of Victoria and Vancouver."

er. My friends have considerable interest in Red Deer, and with the advent of this railway we propose to enter and make it the distributing centre for the west coast cities of the great wheat belt on the prairies. I understand it is admirably situated for this purpose because it directly taps all the best fields of production in the northwest, and at the same time offers an easier passage to the coast than any other road previously conceived.

"The new railroad to which I refer the Alberta Central railroad," which has a charter from Hudson's Bay to the coast and has its headquarters at Red Deer, is the principal feature of the scheme of development, because it cannot be denied that with the completion of the Panama Canal the major portion of the wheat product of the northwest provinces of Canada will find an easier outlet on the west coast than on the east coast of the Dominion, and with the operation of this new railroad there is nothing in the world to prevent Red Deer from assuming proportions as the principal business, by operating the wheat trade to the other parts of the world.

#### INTERESTS IDENTICAL.

"The interests of Red Deer are the interests of the Pacific Coast, and therefore I am looking forward to and receiving the sympathy and co-operation of the people of this province in advancing Mr. W. P. Bull's project. When this road is in operation not only will the route be easier and consequently cheaper than the present roundabout journey, but it will be more direct and consequently much more effective."

"In addition to the wheat production in the northwest, the raising of cattle is developing at a very rapid rate, much more rapidly in fact than the facilities for handling it. And this growing industry should also materially assist the business interests of the coast cities through their shipping connections, once the Panama Canal is an accomplished fact. Red Deer, while it certainly boasts exceptional strategic advantages, to which I have referred, is not entirely dependent upon them. Immediately contiguous to it are large coal and timber areas, which when fully developed will also contribute towards the augmentation of the shipping business of this port. In fact, I may say in brief that the growth of Red Deer is bound to be reflected in the city of Vancouver, because through these cities the wheat product of the prairies must pass on its way either to the coast, across the Pacific or the Occident, via the Panama Canal."

## Mr. Bennett's Montreal Speech

The Herald has received the following telegram from R. B. Bennett, K.C., M.P., in reply to a request that he make a statement regarding his Montreal speech last Monday.

"Thanks for telegram received last afternoon. Spoke as usual with regard to manuscript. I spoke in highest terms of American seilers and referred to what they had done in purging public life of United States of profiting politicians, while stating in language familiar to Calgary audience that education, environment and tradition made it difficult for them to readily appreciate our monarchical institutions; but that if Canada did her duty their children would be devoted citizens alike of Canada and the empire. I was making an earnest effort to assist the west by placing before the business men of our largest city my appreciation of some of the problems, and the first man to shake hands and congratulate me after the speech was a leading American citizen. Am making same speech in Toronto on Monday, and, if desired, will gladly repeat it in Sherman's rink on my return."

R. B. BENNETT.

## World's Production of Wheat

Final estimates of the production of wheat in 1911 have been received by the Publication Branch, Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa, from all the important countries. The total production in the Northern Hemisphere is 3,154,360,000 bushels, against 3,185,565,000 in 1910, a decrease of 31,205,000 bushels. The exceptional decrease of 200,000,000 bushels in Russia was almost balanced by large increases in Canada and in most of the countries of Europe. The total for the Southern Hemisphere (provisional estimate) is 200,988,000 compared with 275,810,000 in 1910. This makes the world's total, according to the Institute, 3,455,348,000 bushels against 3,461,375,000 produced by the same countries in 1910. Adding the production of a number of smaller countries as given by Dornbusch we have 3,508,148,000 bushels for 1911 against 3,575,375 for 1910. The world's total for 1911 according to Broomhall is 3,451,092,000 bushels, according to Beerbohm 3,456,000,000.

OTHER CEREALS IN 1911 AS REPORTED BY THE INSTITUTE.

The total production of rye in the Northern Hemisphere was 1,574,633,000 bushels against 1,600,409,000 in 1910; barley 1,377,740,000 against 1,377,388,000; oats 3,655,650,000 against 4,003,261,000; corn 3,181,

133,000 against 3,550,786,000. The production of oats in Argentina is estimated at 57,255,000 bushels against 34,337,000 in the previous year; New Zealand 17,597,000 against 11,579,000. The Argentine corn crop is 275,577,000 bushels against 27,558,000 last year when most of the area was abandoned.

## THE 1912 WHEAT CROP

OF INDIA.

The wheat harvest will begin in Central India in March; in Upper India in April and will be completed in May. A complete estimate of the acreage to be harvested this spring has not been made, but figures received from the Institute referring to about 80 per cent of the wheat regions, give the acreage for these regions as 25,570,000 acres or 99 per cent of the acreage of the same regions last year. The total area harvested in 1911 was 29,670,000 acres, and the production was 370,414,000 bushels. According to Broomhall's latest report the outlook for the crop to be harvested is very good and a bumper yield is expected.

## A Fireman's Peril

How Zam-Buk Delivered Him.

At 215 Fraser Ave., Edmonton lives W. P. Mahy, a former member of the local fire brigade, who has wonderful cause to be thankful for the curative powers of Zam-Buk. He says: "A serious skin disease broke out on my face, and spread until it was in a terrible state. The spots and little ulcers were frightfully irritating, and yet when scratched or rubbed they bled and smarted. Shaving caused me agony, and sometimes I would have to go two weeks without a shave. I tried home-made remedies, herb salves, and various other preparations, but the sores got no better. When Zam-Buk was mentioned I had little faith that it would be able to do me any good. My case seemed such an obstinate one. I gave it a fair trial, however, and the first box made such a wonderful change for the better that it gave me encouragement to continue. I did so, and to cut a long story short, Zam-Buk, in the end, quite cured me. My face is now clear of all traces of the terrible disease, which troubled me for so long."

Thousands of sufferers from eczema, blood poison, ulcers, chert, sores, piles, ringworm, cold sores, burns and skin injuries have been relieved and cured, as was Mr. Mahy, by Zam-Buk. As a balm for all skin injuries and diseases it is without equal. All druggists and stores at 50c box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price. Refuse harmful imitations.

THE WESTERN PAPER CO. SUNDAY

## W. C. T. U. COLUMN

(CONTRIBUTED)

### TEMPERANCE AND POLITICS IN ALBERTA.

To the Editor of the Christian Guardian.

Dear Sir,—The local option laws of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are being recognized as "unworkable," and it is the immediate business of the drink trade to keep them "unworkable."

The Temperance and Moral Reform League has managed to focus a considerable volume of public opinion on these unworkable laws, but so far the temperance organizations have not had sufficient weight to shift the balance of legislative top-heaviness so as to make it flop over into their side of the scale.

A question that might well present itself to any thoughtful person is this: Is there any other large unit of public opinion that might be induced to step into the scale with us and help to tip the lawmakers over our way? The old political parties are wedded to their idols. The labor organizations seem rather self-centred and purely financial in their interests. The churches, as such, are incorporated into our temperance societies now, or groaning so to be.

The farmers, what of them? The Grain Growers' Association of Manitoba and Saskatchewan and the United Farmers of Alberta are units to be reckoned with. They failed to get what they wanted at the last election, but they scared the "interests" nearly into a fit. Now they are asking for direct legislation, the "Initiative and Referendum."

It is very doubtful if they have weight enough in themselves to tip the top-heavy law-makers into their side of the scale, any more than the temperance people have weight enough to secure the legislation they require.

Can we put two and two together? Would the Initiative and Referendum give the temperance people the legislative leverage they need? If it would, then why not step in with the farmer and secure the "Initiative and Referendum." Would the farmer, in return, support provincial prohibition for the three prairie provinces? One thing is sure—an alliance of this kind would double the weight of both organizations. Have we gumption enough to pull together? Yours,

P. S. PARROTT.

Namoo, Alta.

#### A DIFFERENCE.

(Canadian Royal Templar)

Again we must call attention to the current misuse of the term "local option." We hear people say, "We are trying to get local option," or "The liquor men are trying to repeal local option." It is local veto that is meant in all such cases. Local option is the means whereby local veto can be obtained. It al-

ready exists everywhere in the Province, and will exist till the Legislature takes it away. When the people exercise local option, the result may be a continuance of license; in that case they still have local option, and can exercise it again three years later. It is, of course, correct to speak of carrying a local option by-law, as that is the name of the by-law, the passage of which means local veto.

## IS THERE ANYTHING BETTER?

(New York Times)

The plea that prohibition fails to prohibit would be quite valid if it could be shown that any license system succeeds better in regulating the liquor traffic. Police administrations fall down in the attempt to restrict illicit selling of liquor in any community where the traffic is licensed. Prohibition does throw the business into disrepute. It clears the main thoroughfares of the saloons and removes them from the sight of the young, who at \$10 a month would be equivalent to \$100 in America, so that \$250 per member would equal about \$25 a member for one of our own churches.

## THE WHOXG SMELL.

A Good Templar in Dundee got intoxicated and went up to the lodge in that condition. He knocked at the inner door and gave the password to the guardian, who, with his native pawkiness, had placed his nose to the keyhole instead of his ear. The visitor repeated the password—"Abstinence," a second time, and asked the guardian, "Why don't you open the door? Haven't I got the right word?"

"Aye!" shouted Sandy through the keyhole, "You've got the right word, mon, but you've got the wrong smell."

## Sour Stomach

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If you occasionally have a taste of sour food in your mouth, it surely shows that the food you are eating is not being digested, but instead, is fermenting and giving out poisonous gases.

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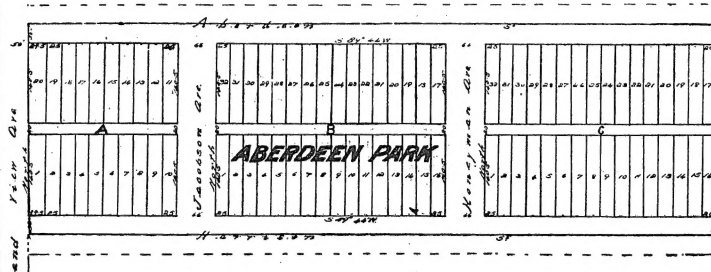
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Choice horses and cattle at Lund's auction sale.  
Aberdeen Park, the residential site for the future.  
The logical place for you to invest is Red Deer West.  
Aberdeen Park looks good to us, how does it look to you?  
Mrs. Jarvis is continuing her millinery opening for the next few days.  
You are wanted at Lund's sale, April 2nd.

Hobart's, the Post Card Store.  
The time to buy is now; the place, Aberdeen Park.  
Just \$10 procures a lot in Red Deer West.  
Bill is coming to Red Deer. Watch out for him later.  
100 pounds a week—Victoria hand rolled chocolates at Hobart's.  
China, bisque and metal doll heads, dressed china and kid body dolls at John McVicar's bookstore. Issuer of marriage licenses.  
Mrs. M. Jarvis is holding a clearing sale of babies' and children's silk and straw bonnets. Valued from \$1.00 to \$2.00, clearing price 40 cents. Remember the place, over Snell's jewelry store.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL

W. Laybourne has taken over the Great West hotel.  
Geo. B. Campbell, of Wetaskiwin, was in town on Thursday.  
Mrs. McLennan is on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Welliver.  
Mrs. Robt. Pearson, First Street North, will not receive today (Wednesday).  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krauss returned from their holiday in California on Wednesday.  
R. Botterill, of Creston, B.C., was visiting his brother, W. J. Botterill, last week.

B. W. Allen, J.P., of Rocky Mountain House, was in town for a few days last week.  
E. A. Laughlin, of Vancouver, is Mr. Landon's new assistant at the Cockshutt agency.

Most of the Old Countrymen who went over for Christmas are expected back next week.  
W. D. Watson, the local boiler inspector, returned from his trip to Australia on Thursday.

Lenten services are held in St. Luke's Church every Wednesday and Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.  
Miss Phrendable sold a quarter section at Ponhold to Joseph Tomasek on March 14th at \$30.00 per acre.

Geo. Coghlin, brother of Jack Coghlin, arrived from the east last week. He will take a position with Ernie Smith.

The Laurentia Milk Co., of Red Deer, have taken over the White Swan Creamery at Bowden and the Creamery at Olds.

The lumber camps in the Red Deer district broke up last week, and a large number of men came into town on Thursday night.

The "Las: Great West" demands the best. There are no better places than "Great West" and gang places. See them at the Massey-Harris agency.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chadsey returned from the east on Monday. Mr. Chadsey is more than ever convinced that Red Deer has a great future ahead of her.

The two sons of Mr. C. G. and Lady Hene Campbell arrived last week in Red Deer. We understand Mr. Campbell has leased the Calkins' farm for the summer.

The harvest depends very largely upon seed time. The new No. 11 Massey-Harris drill was built especially for Alberta, and will do your work well under all conditions.

Mr. Farmer, do you want the best implements and machinery that money can buy at prices that are right? You can get them also a square deal at the Massey-Harris agency.

A social dance, under the auspices of Hillsdown U.F.A., will be held in the Hillsdown school house on Friday, April 12th, commencing at 8.30. Come and bring your basket.

Capt. Sterling will sail from England for Canada probably this week. He says Red Deer is talked of in the clubs of London, and is receiving an immense amount of advertising throughout the British Isles.

Dr. Revell, Provincial Bacteriologist, will give an illustrated lecture, tonight, on petrified stone and coal formation on the Red Deer and Brazeau coal fields in assembly hall of the school. This should be a very interesting lecture.

K. E. Swalling, who has just returned from Stockholm, Sweden, says he is glad to get back to Alberta. He met storms and snow and cold at New York, Niagara and Manitoba, and nowhere was the climate so salubrious as in Alberta.

The annual football meeting was called for Friday evening last, but no financial report or secretary's report of last year's business was ready, so the meeting was postponed until one week from the coming Friday. Everybody interested should turn out.

The members of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends will entertain their friends on Thursday, 25th, in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the inauguration of the Order. A splendid programme of songs, recitations and dialogues is prepared.

Mrs. Hyslop, provincial organizer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, will address a public meeting in the Baptist church on Friday evening at 8 p.m. Mrs. Hyslop is an interesting speaker and has a thorough knowledge of the work. A silver collection will be taken.

Most people die from a breakdown of some part of the system, very few from a ripe old age. This is not the case with the New No. 11 Massey-Harris drills, as those who use them say they are very strongly built, doing their work uniformly and well, and standing very hard usage.

While crossing from the railway track to the creamery on Monday afternoon, J. G. Ormson, of Ryley, manager of the creamery, slipped on the ice and broke his leg. Drs. Collison and Gray were called and he was removed to the hospital. Mr. Ormson was attending the Dairy School in session here.

M. Meeklenberg, A.M., the celebrated and 25 year experienced eye specialist, of Archibald block, Edmonton, will again be at the Arlington Hotel, Red Deer, Friday, March 29th. Spectacles, eye glasses and artificial eyes the very best at moderate charges. Absolute satisfaction guaranteed.

Ice cream at Hobart's.  
Aberdeen Park lots stand inspection.  
Mrs. Deas is very ill at the hospital.  
For a quick turnover buy Aberdeen Park lots.

Don't overlook Aberdeen Park as an investment.  
Judge Crawford, of Macleod, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Geo. Lindsay is visiting friends in Calgary.

Lund's auction sale on April 2nd. See ad. in another column.

The School Board have purchased a school site in Red Deer West.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Combs have returned to Red Deer to reside.

Miss Frances Summerby has returned from an extended trip south.

Mrs. Stent and Miss Ella Stent spent last week in Toronto visiting friends.

Mrs. J. E. Cunningham returned from her visit to the East a few days ago.

Eain, save, investigate ann invest in Red Deer West, and you are on prosperity's trail.

Remember the regular meeting of Sons of England this Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock sharp.

Miss Gladys Rutherford has opened a public stenographer's office next to John McVicar's bookstore.

We understand Messrs. Hill, Hovey and Hainey have purchased the Gogerty farm north of town.

The Hig-Four real estate firm has dissolved partnership, the Messrs. Wilson withdrawing from the firm.

Miss Norma Albertson, of Calgary, is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Piper, for a few days.

E. W. Trump, of St. Thomas, Ont., is visiting his son, Walter Trump, and will likely remain in Red Deer during the summer.

The Quadrille Club dance, Friday evening last, was the most successful of the season. The next one will not be held until some time in April.

Rev. Dr. Riddell, President of Alberta College, will preach morning and evening at the Methodist church next Sunday. He will present the educational claims of the Methodist church.

Mr. Davison has received word of some fifty settlers coming to Red Deer the early part of May from Sheffield, England, and others from Dakota. Red Deer will have a big rush of settlers this year.

Mrs. Jarvis' millinery opening, Thursday and Friday, was very successful. She will be glad to see all her old friends, and new ones, too, over Snell's jewelry store, as she has a splendid stock and all newest styles.

During the last few days the Day Hardware Company have taken into stock four cars of heavy and shelf hardware, and have five more cars on the way. This looks like enterprise, and we wish this wellknown firm every success in their fast growing business.

P. P. Craig, who has had charge of the C.N.R. office at Red Deer this winter, has received word to move to Winnipeg and leaves next week. Mr. Craig's many friends will be sorry to lose him. It is probable that Mr. W. Massey, who was in charge last year, will be on the old job.

Aberdeen Park lots are going, have you got yours? If not, why not?

**WANTED.**  
Good general servant. Apply to Mrs. (Dr.) Plaxton. Meh 20, 11.

**WANTED.**  
500 bushels feed oats delivered Red Deer. Particulars to Box 369, Red Deer P.O. Meh 20, 1w1

**MONEY FOUND.**  
A sum of money was found in T. A. Gaetz' store on Monday evening. Owner can have same by proving property or stating amount—T. A. GAETZ. Meh 20, 1w

**FOR SALE.**  
About 20 head of pure bred, registered Ayshire cattle, including milk cows and young stock. Apply E. W. DAY, Daysland, Alberta. Meh 20, 2w.

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Second-hand engine (steam) 35 horse power and boiler, 55 horse power. Apply to THE CEMENT BUILDERS, LIMITED, Red Deer. Meh 20, 1f.

**LOST.**  
One automobile tail lamp with 1912 Provincial Number 27 attached. Finder advise E. M. McCAMMON, 207-Underwood Block, Calgary, and receive reward. Meh 20, 1w1

**WHIP LOST.**  
Between Hodgkinson's and Scott's farms, south-east of town, an English hunting whip, initials C. G. C. on it. A reward of \$2.00 offered for return of same to C. G. CAMPBELL, Red Deer. Meh 20, 1w1

**\$10 REWARD.**  
Strayed from the premises of the undersigned, a bay mare, branded 2 over bar on left shoulder, weight 1000 or 1100 lbs.; coming four year old. Broken. Strayed from my farm at Evans, and last seen at Fiske's farm, 18 miles south-east of Red Deer. Can be left with Fred Gaetz at the Biggs' farm and get reward—R. E. LAURENCE. Meh 13, 3w1.

**NOTICE.**  
Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Council of L. I. D., 19-T-1 will be held in the Oddfellows Hall, Red Deer, Saturday, March 30th, 1912, at 1 o'clock p.m. This meeting is held for the purpose of apportioning the taxes for road improvement for the year. All rate-payers interested should attend this meeting and present their claims to the Council.  
By order of the Council,  
W. P. CODE, Sec'y.-Treas.  
Meh 20, 2w.

**NOTICE.**  
We, the undersigned blacksmiths of Red Deer, have decided that it is impossible to carry on our business on the credit basis, owing to the fact that our goods can only be bought on very short terms, and the principal parts of our expenses are wages, which have to be paid each week end, and the amount of cash we receive, both in daily receipts and collections, do not pay our expenses. We, therefore, have decided that, commencing April the first, we will close our books to the credit system.

(Signed) W. SPRINGBETT  
A. W. FEAD  
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